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FCC REMINDS COMMUNICATIONS PROVIDERS HOW TO CONTACT AGENCY FOR EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

Washington, D.C. – Due to the severe flooding in the Midwest, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) today reminds communications providers of the following contact information to obtain emergency Special Temporary Authorizations (STAs).

Providers needing emergency STA authorizations or needing to consult FCC bureaus and offices about their recovery efforts during the weekend or after hours can call the FCC's Communications Center, which is open 24 hours a day, at (202) 418-1122.

Contact information during normal working hours and more comprehensive information on receiving STAs can be obtained at <http://www.fcc.gov/pshs/services/sta.html>.